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Title: Sandals With Drainage System

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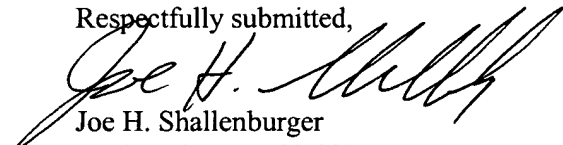
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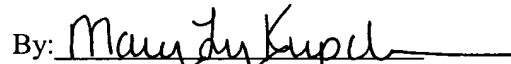
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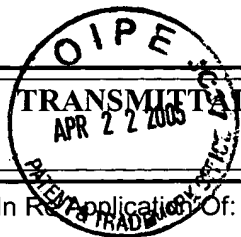
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In Re Application Of: **John Cobian**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/815,466	04/01/2004		20694	3728	6378

Title: **Sandal With Drainage System**

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